

FOOD COLORING PAINTINGS

Materials Needed:

- different colors of food coloring
- water
- small plastic bowls
- paper
- paper straws
- plastic spoons
- newspapers

Directions:

Cover the work area with newspapers.

Mix about 10 drops of food coloring with 1 tablespoon of water in a small plastic bowl. Mix each color in a separate plastic bowl.

Use a plastic spoon or eyedropper to place a few drops of the colored water mixture on the white paper.

Blowing on the drops with a straw creates unusual designs and mixing two or more colors makes interesting hues.

For a thicker mixture, try adding 1/2 teaspoon of liquid dish soap to the water. This will produce a different effect when blown.

These masterpieces will work any age group as long as they can blow through a straw. I would say three years and up.